



**PATENT APPLICATION**

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of

Satoru ISHIKAWA et al.

Group Art Unit: 2852

Application No.: 10/700,630

Examiner: S. CHEN

Filed: November 5, 2003

Docket No.: 117682

For: IMAGE FORMING DEVICE CAPABLE OF INTERRUPTING APPLICATION OF  
DRIVING SIGNAL AT A DRIVE UNIT (AS AMENDED)

**AMENDMENT**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In reply to the May 6, 2005 Office Action, the shortened statutory period for reply  
having been extended by the enclosed Petition for Extension of Time, please consider the  
following:

**Amendments to the Specification;**

**Amendments to the Claims** as reflected in the listing of claims;

**Amendments to the Drawings** include an attached replacement sheet; and

**Remarks.**

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